

INDIANA AND MICHIGAN STATE HAPPENINGS

TRAVERSE GREETED 300 DELEGATES

Eighty-second Annual M. E. Conference Opens—Add One Day to Session.

News-Times Special Service: TRAVERSE CITY, Mich., Sept. 13.—Practically all of the 300 delegates expected to attend the 82nd annual state Methodist conference, arrived on the late trains here at the close of the first day of the session. The reason for late arrivals is that at the last moment an extra day was added to the program, and the activities, which were to have begun tomorrow, were started today.

young people's program were a meeting in the afternoon presided over by P. Ray Norton, state president of the Epworth league, and the evening sessions, in charge of R. E. Meader, district Sunday school superintendent. At the evening meeting Dr. Frederick Pence of Bay City delivered the principal address, a discourse full of interest for the younger generation, and plans for the coming Epworth league year. A cabinet session was held at 2 o'clock, at which preliminary discussion was indulged in concerning the appointment for all Michigan Methodist ministers. The final decisions will not be issued until Monday, Sept. 17, it was announced. Wednesday forenoon was given over to business almost entirely. In the afternoon the work of the board of conference claimants was taken up. J. T. B. Smith of Chicago delivered an address representing the Chicago board of claimants, and Norton L. Fox of the First Methodist church, Lansing, will also speak. M. L. Sutherland of Chicago has arrived and will take charge of the conference music.

BASEBALL POOLS IN INDIANAPOLIS?

Say Every Saloon, Barber Shop, Cigar Store and Pool Room Violates Law.

News-Times Special Service: INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 13.—Judge James E. Deery of the city court called before him in the court room Chief of Police James F. Quigley and told him that investigation showed that baseball pools were being operated in almost every saloon, barber shop, cigar store and pool room in the city, and that it is the duty of the police to show discrimination. The statement was made in regard to the case of Thomas Brown, who operates a pool room at 212 Indiana av. Brown was arrested several weeks ago on a charge of operating a "gambling" pool.

This man was arrested a few weeks ago charged with conducting a baseball pool, said Judge Deery. "Investigation made show that at the time of his arrest these pools were on sale in almost every saloon, cigar store and barber shop in the downtown district. Why this one man was arrested puzzled me. One of the arresting officers is reported to have said that word was gotten to all, with the exception of a few, to close up. It looks very much like some one in the department is acting as a privilege man. I know you do not want this condition to exist. I don't intend that this court be used as a club on undisciplined gamblers, neither do I want the court to be responsible for any Royal Hammer deaths. I thought you ought to know of these things."

Chief Quigley declared that at the time of Brown's arrest he sent two men out with orders to arrest every one operating such a pool. He declared the officers reported that they were unable to find any such devices except that operated by Brown. Brown's case was continued.

TOWERMAN LOWERS GATES; TRAPS AUTO

News-Times Special Service: GARY, Ind., Sept. 13.—An autoist was caught between the safety gates at the Michigan Central crossing and Broadway—but not through any fault of his own, witnesses declare. A freight train had just passed, going east, when Louis Vundack, baker, arrived at the crossing in his automobile. The gates rose slowly and the baker started across. The auto was about half-way when the towerman, F. J. Powell, noticed another train coming and

he promptly re-lowered the gates. Vundack was caught between. Without hesitating, the autoist crowded on speed and crashed into the gates on the other side, shattering them to pieces. In doing so he smashed his radiator and lamps and it is very probable that the railroad company will be called upon to meet the damage. No one was hurt. There were several witnesses to the accident.

POSSE HUNTS FARMER WHO KILLED SHERIFF

FREMONT, Ind., Sept. 13.—A posse of farmers and citizens of this place are scouring the country side Wednesday night in search of Frank Van Tassel, 40 years old, a farmer, thought to be insane, who early Wednesday evening shot and killed George W. Ballest, 46 years old, sheriff of Branch county, Michigan, just across the state line. Sheriff Ballest had gone to the home where the man lived to place him in custody, following reports that Van Tassel was terrorizing the neighborhood. When the sheriff approached Van Tassel he fired, killing the sheriff instantly. Van Tassel fled. He was gone a short time and then returned to his home, keeping every one who tried to approach him at bay with a shotgun and a revolver. A deputy sheriff from Coldwater organized a posse and started for Van Tassel's home, but he again fled when the officer and his posse arrived.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICH.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Storick and Walter Storick and family attended the fair in South Bend Wednesday. Miss Vera S. Reynolds has returned to her duties as teacher in the schools at Evanston. The Beachnits won their second game of ball with the Doughnuts, Monday afternoon—score thirteen to eleven. Another game is scheduled for next week. Mrs. Boyle has returned from the hospital in St. Joseph, where she has been under treatment for several weeks. She is improving in health. Rev. F. B. Parker, pastor of the U. B. church, will attend the annual conference of the United Brethren church next week. Walter Storick and Arthur Spaulding motored to St. Joseph Sunday. Mrs. A. H. Pokorny returned Sunday to Chicago after a summer's outing at Pennellwood. Walter Eldson has a black and blue eye, badly swollen, and M. R. Castner has had limp—they played ball Monday. Mrs. Ada Taylor, teacher in the Gallen schools, was a week-end visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Taylor. Clyde Boyle was kicked by a horse Saturday afternoon and the bones in his right forearm were broken. Mrs. J. D. Boone entertained a number of friends at a Red Cross party Tuesday afternoon. Sewing was done for the society, and a dainty luncheon was served by the hostess. Rev. Edwin Tench of Edwardsburg was here Monday enroute to Traverse City, to attend the annual conference of the M. E. church. Mr. Tench was formerly pastor of the local church. Mr. and Mrs. Olaus Skinner celebrated their eighteenth wedding anniversary Thursday. Mrs. John Cowing died at her home in Chicago last week. The Cowings own the larger cabin on the bluff and the family have spent several summers here. The annual meeting of the Berrien county battalion will be held in Benton Harbor, Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 18 and 19. A number of the members of Kilpatrick post and Major Mordock circle expect to be in attendance.

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NILES, MICH.

NILES, Mich., Sept. 13.—Sidney Wallick, 45 years old, was killed here Tuesday afternoon while at work at the planing mill of the Niles Lumber Co. An eight-inch belt broke above his head and one end dropping struck him in the chest and knocked him down. The blow broke several ribs which pierced the lungs and caused hemorrhages. Mr. Wallick came to Niles from Sturgis last spring. He is survived by a widow and one daughter. Miss Doris Starkweather has left for Adrian where she will enter St. Joseph's academy. The body of L. A. Root was sent to Ereville, Mich., Tuesday for burial. Two sons and a daughter accompanied the body. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kenoyer have left for La Mare, Ia., where they will live. They will motor through.

MAPLE GROVE.

Quarterly meeting will be held next Sunday, Sept. 16, at the Maple Grove M. E. church. An all-day meeting will be held. Rev. Appleby of South Bend will conduct the services. Daisy Workman and Miss Frances Klesinger visited Mary Garrett Sunday. Alva Hummer, who has been suffering with liver trouble, has been removed to Epworth hospital, South Bend. Miles Bassett of South Bend visited friends in this vicinity Sunday. The Howell Reunion was held at the home of Andrew Howell Sunday. Harold McCullough visited Merrill Innis Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rambo of South Bend visited Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Garrett Sunday. A pretty hard frost was discovered early Monday morning.

Elkhart News

STOLEN MONEY IS FOUND IN CELLAR

All But 87 Cents of Purloined Cash Discovered in Basement.

News-Times Special Service: ELKHART, Sept. 13.—All but 87 cents of the \$343.75 that was taken from the safe in the office of the Elkhart Water Co. was recovered Wednesday in the basement of the building. The recovered money was found in the form of \$272 in bills and \$70.88 in silver and pennies. Supt. of the Water Co., Elliott Crull, while sweeping in the basement swept under a platform to get out the dust and dirt, also, in search for the money, first brought out a \$5 bill and then a \$2 bill. The sweeping was kept up until all the paper money was recovered and then Mr. Crull reached under the platform and brought out the silver in a sack. Capt. Jack Northrop, who was given charge of the case, said that he had taken some finger prints and expected to make an arrest in a few days. He said that was all the information that was ready for publication.

LOST BOY FOUND. ELKHART, Sept. 13.—The 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Downing of Claypool, Ind., whom the father sought in this city yesterday, was found by Patrolman Nihart this afternoon near Main and Franklin sts.

Queen Eleanore of Bulgaria Dies; Ill Long Time

SOFIA, Bulgaria, via London, Sept. 13.—Queen Eleanore of Bulgaria died here Wednesday afternoon. She had been ill some time and recently King Ferdinand and Crown Prince Boris and Prince Cyril were summoned to her bedside.

Queen Eleanore was the daughter of Prince Henry IV. of Reuss-Kostritz. She was born in 1860 and married Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria who later ascended the throne in 1898. Since the outbreak of the war the queen has done considerable Red Cross work and at one time it was reported she was about to come to the United States to collect funds for the sufferers in Bulgaria and to study the hospital system in this country.

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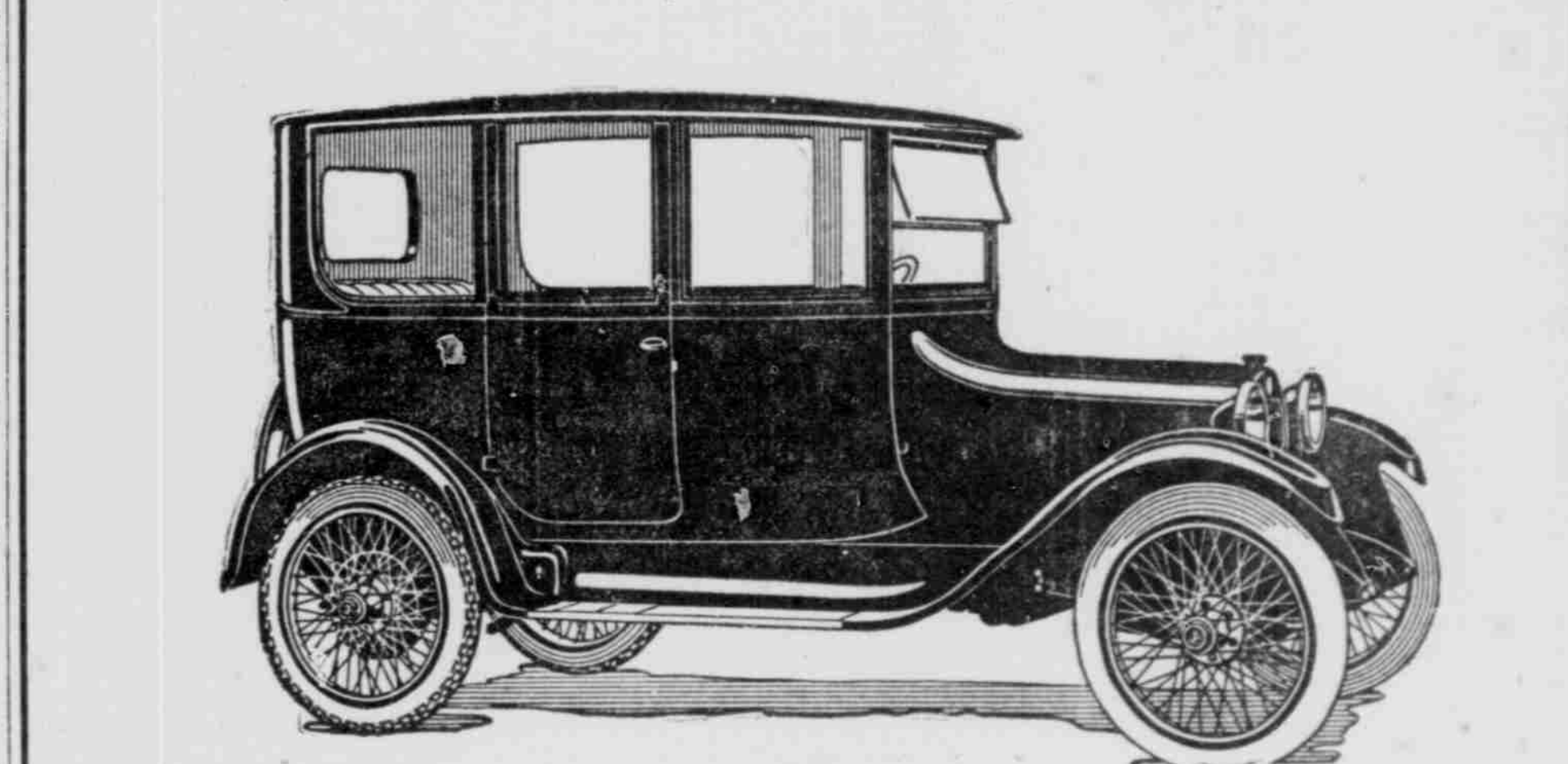
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Apron Gingham, good assortment of blue, brown and green checks. Friday special, yard... 7c	Crepe de Chine and Net Waists. Friday special... \$1.69	Table Damask, 30-inch, floral and striped patterns. Friday special, yard... 29c
Lawns, in assorted figures and stripes. Friday special, yard... 5c	Felt Hats, large shapes in new light shades. Friday special, choice... \$1.00	Curtain Materials, Marquisettes, Voiles and Scrims, in white, cream and ecru, 36 in. wide. Friday special, yard... 27c
Blankets, for single beds, in grey and tan. Friday special... 45c	Women's Light Fleece Union Suits, high neck and long sleeves, low neck and elbow sleeves, and low neck sleeveless and ankle length. Friday special, suit... 75c	Georgette Crepe, 40 inches wide, in fall shades. Friday special, yard... \$1.49
Water Pails, blue and white enamel, white lined, 12 and 14-quart. Friday special... 75c	Women's Outing Gowns, in pink and blue stripes, with or without collars, slip-over style, sizes 15 to 17. Friday special... 59c	Taffeta and Satin Ribbon, slightly soiled. Friday special, yard... 5c
Cups and Saucers, white porcelain with gold band. Six Cups and six Saucers. Friday special for... \$1.19	Windsor Ties, Misses' and Women's Messaline and Crepe, in plaids, checks, stripes and plain colors. Friday special... 19c	Stamped Linen Towels, size 18x36, extra quality. Friday special... 39c
Sunbrite Clanser, Friday special, 4 cans for... 17c	Character Dolls, dressed, 14 inches high. Friday special... 45c	O. N. T. White Mercerized Embroidery Floss. Friday special, skein... 3c
Crepe Paper Napkins, Friday special, 100 for... 18c	Friday Special, All Leather Bags, ONE-FOURTH OFF.	Fancy Ribbons, floral and striped, 3/4 and 4 inches wide. Friday special, yard... 15c
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